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**Ingolfur ARNASON et al.**

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CHAMBER AND A METHOD OF  
THERMALLY PROCESSING  
PRODUCTS

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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action dated April 8, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.